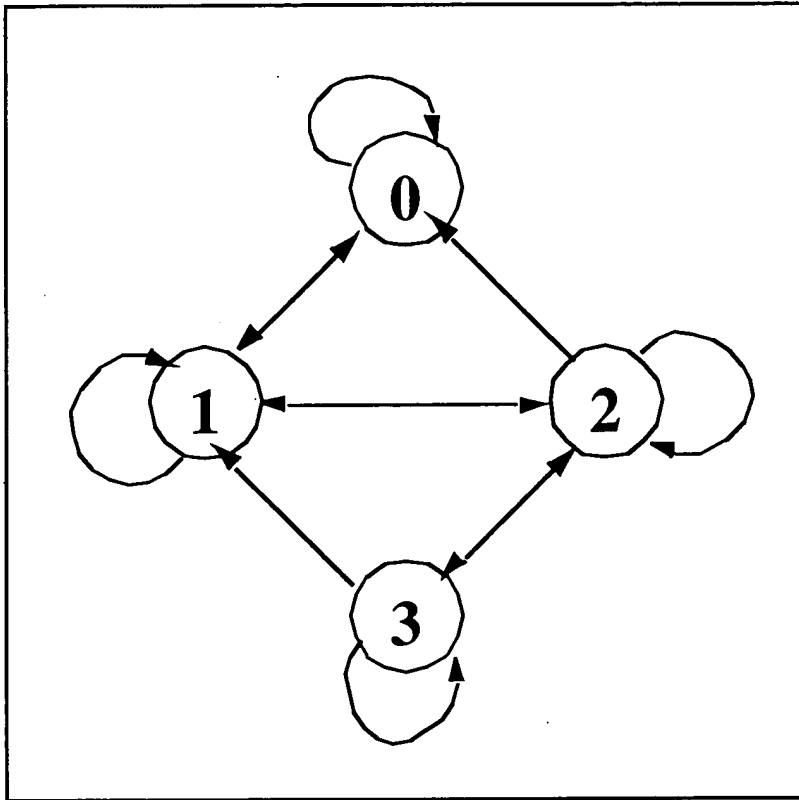


FIGURE 1



**Figure 2 Transitions of State Variable  $X_i$**

**Invariant:**

**$(X_i=3) \Rightarrow$  incoming links have  
at most one request**

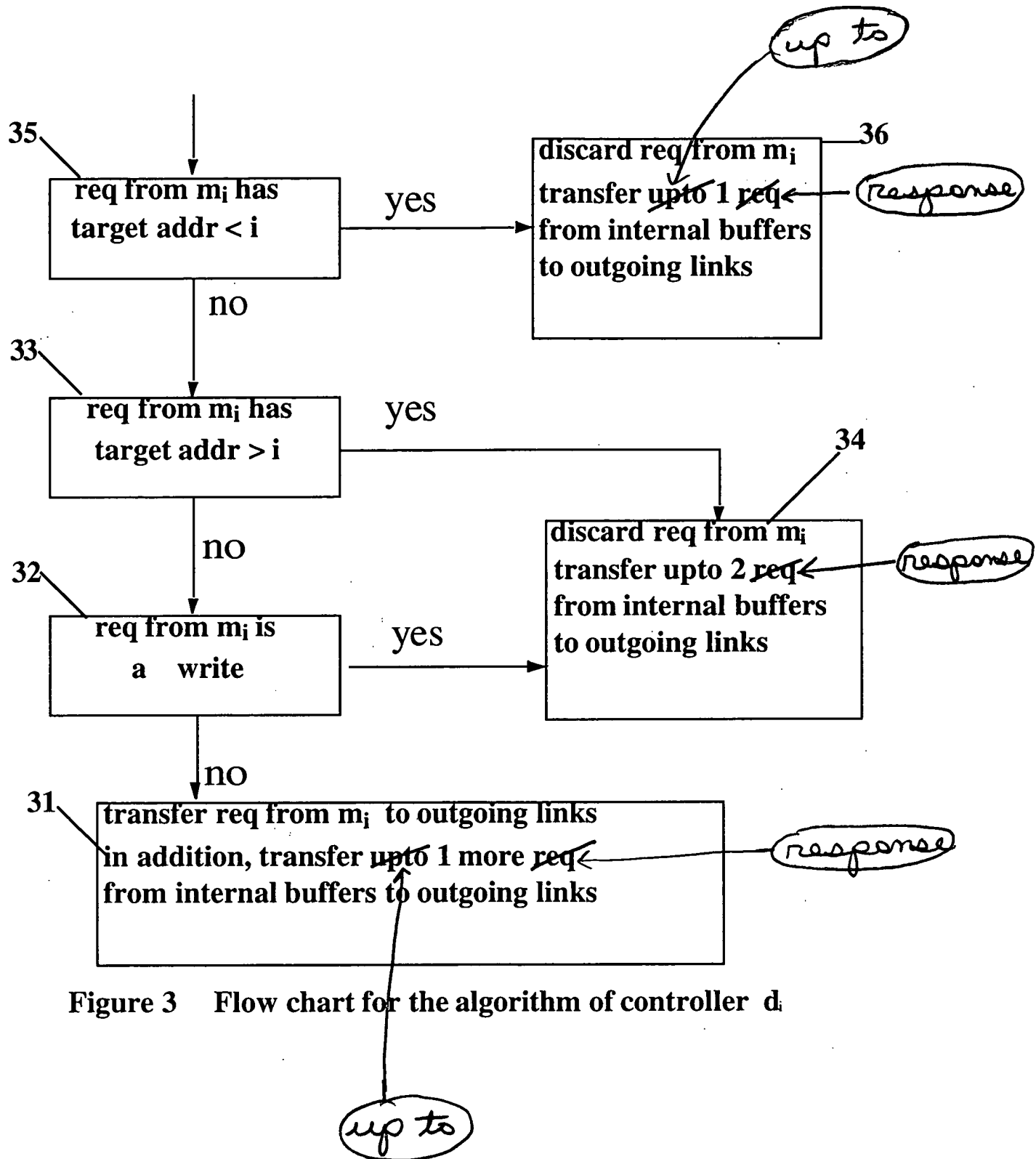


Figure 3 Flow chart for the algorithm of controller d

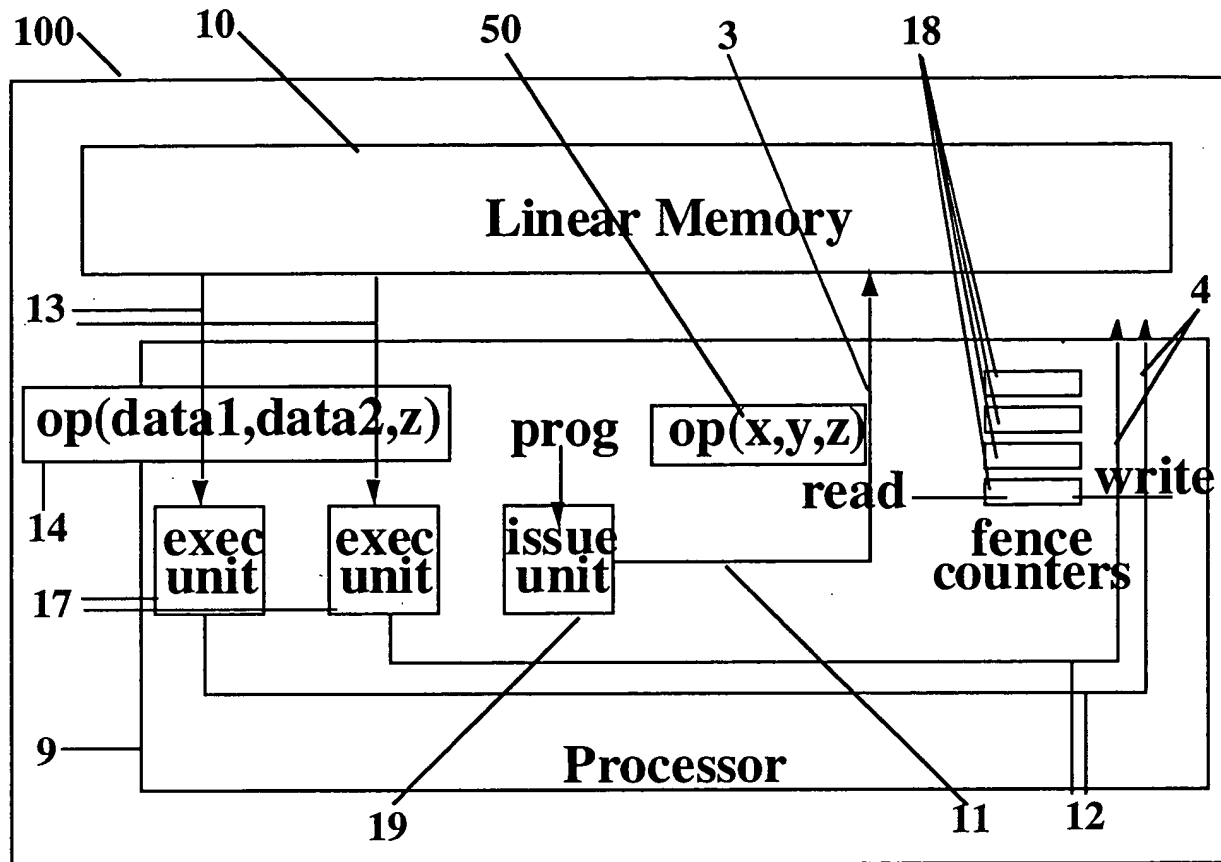
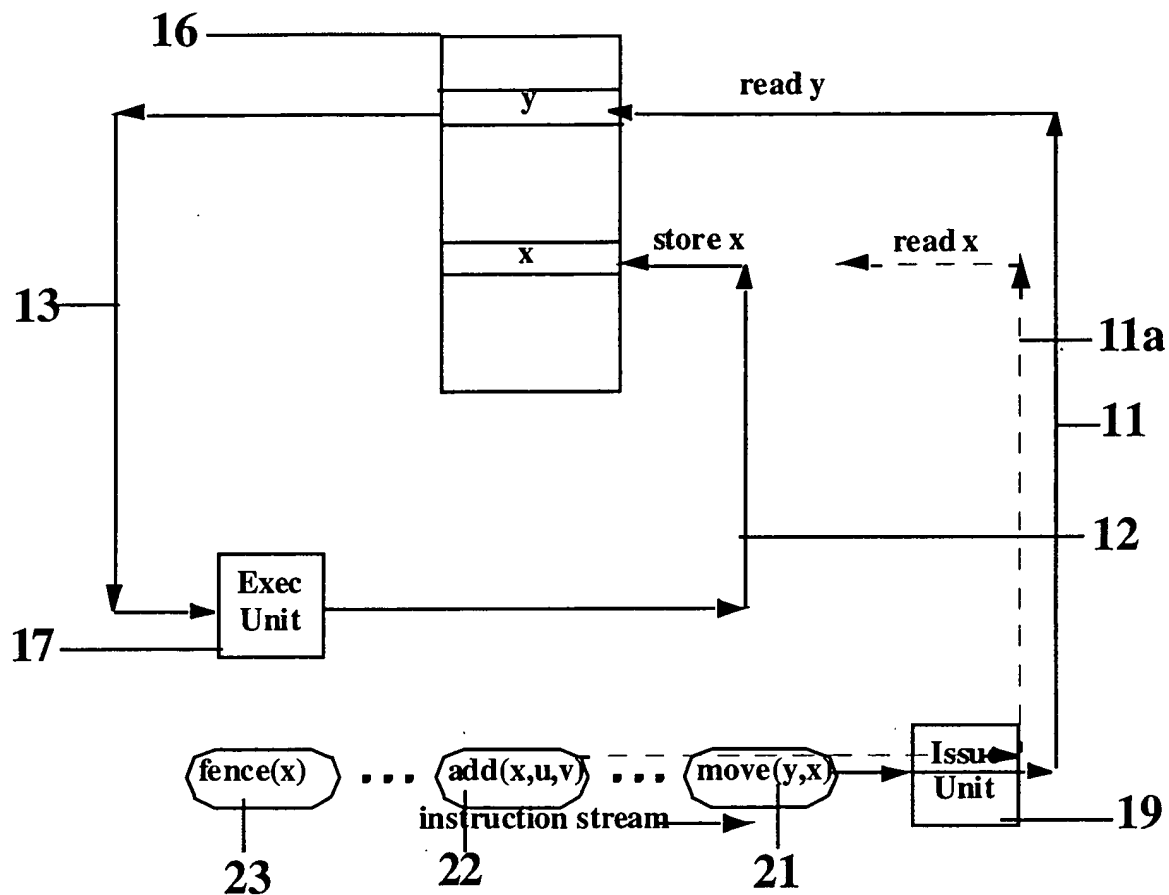
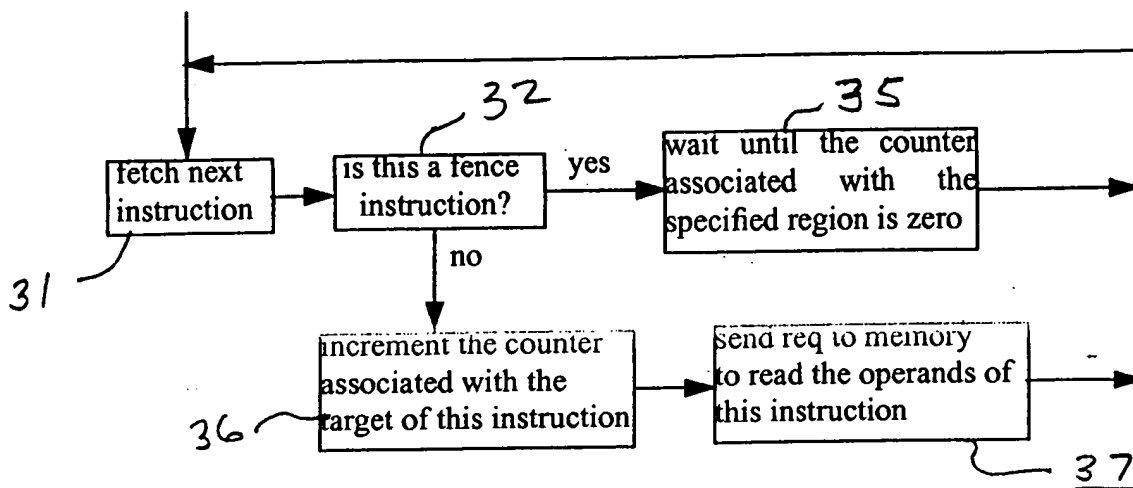


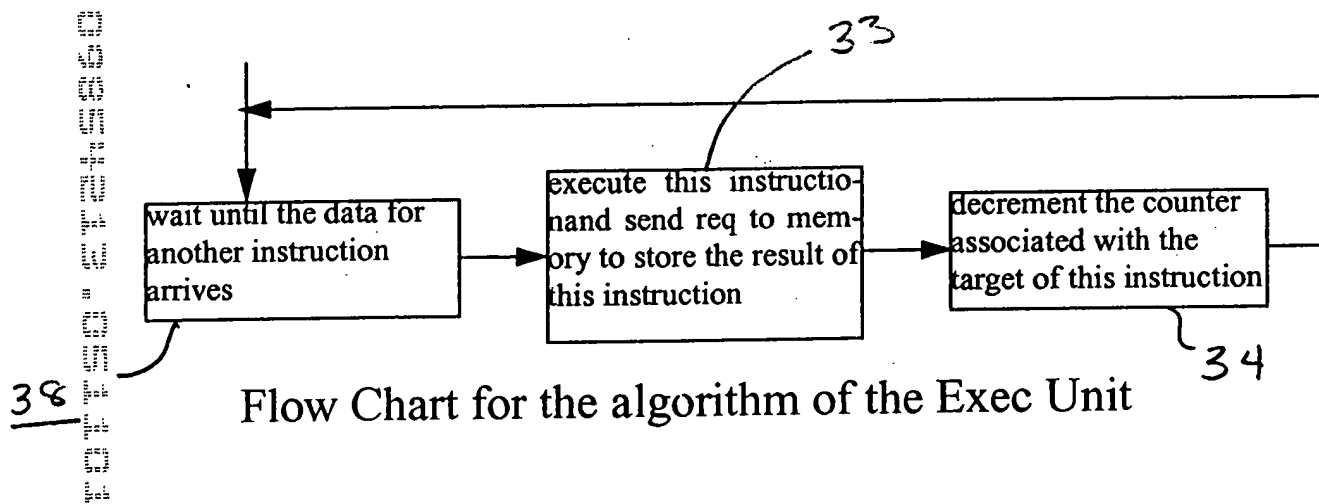
Figure 4 Scalable Processor Schema



**Figure 5** Diagram illustrating read-write-hazard: the path of solid lines illustrates how the move instruction is executed. When it is issued, it goes and reads location *y* and the data flows into the execution unit. When it executes, the result is sent to be stored in location *x*. However, the issue unit proceeds concurrently and issues other instructions following it. The add instruction is an example of a subsequent instruction that uses *x* and its path is illustrated by the dashed line. If this is issued before the previous store to *x* takes place, we have a hazard.



Flow Chart for the algorithm of the Issue Unit



Flow Chart for the algorithm of the Exec Unit

FIGURE 6